

EUREKA ENEWS

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City Manager's Column



Welcome to the City of Eureka monthly electronic newsletter! Our eNews was initiated in October 2014, and whether you have been receiving this newsletter since the beginning or if this is your very first one, we strive to provide you with timely information on city services and programs. We are fully into summer, and there are a number of great activities and events for residents and visitors to enjoy right here in Eureka. The 4th of July is always a great time in our community, and this year it falls on the first Saturday of the month coinciding with Arts Alive. Mike Jones has done another incredible job of raising money from the business community and private donors to fund the fireworks. Big thanks to all who have donated to make this event possible.

This month's issue has the following highlights:

- The fireworks show for the City of Eureka will start at 9:30p PM on July 4th.
- Humboldt Bay Fire has safety tips for outdoor recreation and with the 4th of July, a reminder about the dangers of fireworks.
- Development Services discusses the impacts of the Buy Local program and our proposed pilot project for "parklets" in our business districts.
- Park and Recreation provides a comprehensive review of summer programs and recreational activities at our parks and the zoo. One of the highlights in July is the Relay for Life and the Lighted Boat Parade on July 11-12.
- Public Works continues to inform the public regarding water conservation. Eureka is mandated by the state to reduce water consumption by 4%, and lawn watering is only allowed on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday.
- Eureka Police Department announces July Coffee with the Captains, and discusses departmental fee increases.



Have a safe summer and enjoy all Eureka and the North Coast has to offer!

Greg L. Sparks

City Manager

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Calendar of Events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Farmer's Market Henderson Center Summer Concert Series	3 City Hall Closed	4 Independence Day Arts Alive 4th of July Festival
5	6	7 Farmer's Market Old Town Council Meeting	8	9 Farmer's Market Henderson Center Summer Concert Series	10	11 Relay For Life Relay For Life Lighted Boat Parade
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July is Humboldt CASA Month!

EPD Discusses Fee Increases

EPD along with several other departments are seeking an increase in fees associated with services offered to citizens. For example traffic collision reports are re-produced for \$5 while the going rate by most agencies is \$15 to \$25 per report. Most police agencies charge for ticket sign off, EPD does it for free. The alarm ordinance is being reworked to reduce alarms and charge those who abuse police and fire services through false alarms. Live Scan and finger printing will remain the same at \$35 and getting your dog back will still cost between \$75 and \$125 if they are spade or neutered.

“The cost of extracting information and preparing it for citizens has fallen far short of what it costs the city...”

July Coffee with the Captains

Come join Eureka Police Department Captains for an informal sit down to discuss and brainstorm ideas to make our neighborhoods safer. Coffee with the Captains has proven to be a great way for the community and the Eureka Police Department to get to know one another better.

July's Coffee with the Captains will be held Thursday, July 23rd from 8:00—10:00 AM at the Eureka Marie Calendars (3502 Broadway, Eureka). Admission is free to this event and all are welcome! This month's Coffee with the Captains is sponsored by the Marie Calendars.

For questions or concerns please contact Police Services Officer Suzie Owsley at (707) 441-4373.



EPD Customer Service

If you've ever called the non-emergency line, you may have been asked, "Eureka Police and Fire, do you have an emergency?" The common answer received is, "no, I called the non-emergency line." That is correct and here is an insight as to why you may get asked that. There are two dispatchers responsible for all police calls in the city and fire/medical calls for the city and greater Eureka area. That being said, if both dispatchers are on emergency calls, one will have to put the emergency call on hold to answer the non-emergency call coming in. It's always important to confirm that the call coming in, regardless of the line, is not an emergency call.

Our front office is the nerve center of EPD's customer service. One of our employees, Alisa Cudney, has been with Eureka Police for 12 years and receives regular praise from citizens and officers alike.



Summer Outdoor Recreation Safety Tips

As we enjoy the cool summers and beautiful warm fall seasons in the Eureka area and its wonderful parks and trails it is important to remember some basic safety considerations before venturing out. Even if it's just an afternoon visit to Sequoia Park!

The most effective way to prevent mishaps is to adequately prepare for the trip. Basic clothing, equipment and knowledge of the area, weather, terrain, limitations of your body, plus a little common sense can help to ensure a safe and enjoyable trip.

If you're going hiking, travel with a companion. You don't want to be by yourself in case of an emergency. If you do venture out alone let someone know where you are going, your expected route and return time. That way if you do not return or have a problem someone will know where and when to start looking for you. If you'll be going into an area that is unfamiliar to you, orient yourself before heading out with a map so you know where you are going. Bring a map and stay oriented to it as you walk. If necessary take along someone who knows the area or at least speak with those who do before you set out. If an area is closed, do not go there. This especially applies to newly developed areas such as the McKay Tract Community Forest in Eureka. If a recreation area is not officially open it will not have the trail mapping, signage or con-

nected trails to allow emergency services to locate you quickly.

Pack basics such as sunscreen, water, snack and sufficient clothing in case the weather changes. In the Eureka area this will include a warm coat for most of the year and rain gear in the winter and spring. Wear appropriate footwear and clothing for your activity. Bring any necessary medications and if you are walking or exploring with children consider bringing treats to make it more fun! If you bring a cell phone and need to use it be prepared to describe your location to emergency dispatchers and do not count on it receiving a signal.

Be weather wise. Keep an eye on current and predicted weather conditions, especially in the winter and spring times. Know the signs for approaching storms or changing weather conditions.

Learn basic first aid so you will know how to identify and treat injuries and illnesses. Carry a first aid kit. Learn how to identify the symptoms of heat exhaustion, heat stroke, hypothermia, and dehydration, and know how to treat them.

By being a little prepared for your adventure you are sure to make it even more of a great time, for everyone!

Independence Day: How to Have a Blast without having a *Blast*!

It's that time of year again to celebrate our great country's independence. Humboldt Bay Fire would like everyone to practice safe revelry for this Independence Day. Here's a little data by the National Fire Protection Association that many people may not be aware of. In 2011 fireworks caused an estimated 17,800 reported fires, including 1,200 total structure fires, 400 vehicle fires, and 16,300 outside and other fires. These fires resulted in an estimated eight reported civilian deaths, 40 civilian injuries and \$32 million in direct property damage. In 2012, U.S. hospital emergency rooms treated an estimated 8,700 people for fireworks related injuries; 55% of 2012 emergency room fireworks-related injuries were to the extremities and 31% were to the head.

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More injuries occur to young people ages under 24 years than any other group. On Independence Day in a typical year, far more U.S. fires are reported than on any other day, and fireworks account for 40% of those fires, more than any other cause of fires.

Here's how you can be safe and legal in our area. Humboldt Bay Fire would like to remind everyone that personal fireworks are prohibited on Woodley Island and in the Old Town area of the City of Eureka by the Eureka Municipal Code, Section 92.08. The code states:

"No person shall store, sell, use, discharge, ignite, or set off any fireworks on Woodley Island and in the Old Town Area of the

City of Eureka. For purposes of this ordinance, the Old Town area is defined as the area North of Fourth Street to the Bay, West of M Street and East of Commercial Street, inclusive.

Fireworks found in prohibited areas will be subject to confiscation and the owner or user of the fireworks may be subject to citation. Failure to comply with this ordinance is an infraction. Failure to comply with an Order and Notice as provided in Section 92.99 of the Eureka Municipal Code may be charged as either an infraction or a misdemeanor."

Personal fireworks are allowed in other areas of the City of Eureka and the Greater Eureka Area. We urge you to celebrate safely. The public is reminded:

- Use only California State Fire Marshal approved safe and sane fireworks.
- Follow the instructions on the fireworks, and provide close adult supervision for children.
- Use fireworks in a clear area away from buildings, grass, and brush.
- If a firework fails to ignite properly, do not approach the device immediately. If the device does not ignite in a reasonable amount of time, place the device into a bucket of water.
- Provide clear access on streets for emergency vehicles.

Pick up your trash. Place all used fireworks in a bucket of water prior to placing them into the trash.

Humboldt Bay Fire invites everyone to spend the day in Old Town, and you will be welcome to enjoy the evening's public fireworks display. Remember, attendees may not bring fireworks to Old Town or Woodley Island. Enjoy the festivities, and celebrate safely this Fourth of July!

Heads Up! Pedestrian Safety Campaign Continues and Grows!

In May, the City launched the “HEADS UP” traffic safety campaign to reduce pedestrian collisions by increasing awareness and improving pedestrian and driver behaviors. Since then, you’ve probably seen the “Heads Up” safety messages on street banners, posters, and buses.

The campaign kicked off with a lively press conference and launch event at City Hall on May 19. We were excited to see more than 50 City staff and interested residents attend to show their support for the campaign. The event included great activities, some pictured here:

- Speeches from Mayor Frank Jager, City Councilmember Kim Bergel, and Tim Jones from EPD
- Unveiling and autographing of a campaign banner, which is now hanging in the City Hall lobby
- Distribution of campaign collateral, including brochures, magnets, and posters
- Pedestrian safety photo booth
- Pedestrian-themed cookies from Ramone's Bakery

The campaign recently added ads in the Times-Standard, North Coast Journal, and Lost Coast Outpost; sidewalk stencils; decals on traffic signal control boxes; and coffee cup sleeves at local coffee shops. And maybe you’ve heard us on Pandora or seen our message on Access Humboldt!

This month, look for the Heads Up team at community events, including the Old Town and Henderson Center farmers markets, Arts Alive, and the Summer Concert Series. We’ll also be at the 4th of July Festival from 10 am to 4 pm. Stop by to learn more, try your hand at trivia to win prizes, or take a photo at the campaign photo booth.

City staff and members of the Transportation Safety Commission invite you to [visit our website](#) to learn tips for making Eureka’s streets safer, whether you’re walking or driving. Funding for this program is from the California Office of Traffic Safety through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.



Public Works

We Need your Help Saving our Water!

On June 11th, Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District (HBMWD), along with its four municipal customers classified as urban water suppliers, received confirmation from the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) that their request to be placed in a lower conservation tier had been granted. Prior to this ruling, local water suppliers had been placed in tiers requiring as much as a 28 percent reduction in total water production. The City of Eureka, as well as HBMWD, the City of Arcata, and Humboldt and McKinleyville Community Services Districts, are now required to reduce water production by 4 percent for each month as compared to the same month in 2013.

source of supply does not include water imported from outside the hydrologic region in which the water supplier is located, and that the system has a minimum of four years' reserved supply available. In approving the request, the SWRCB acknowledged the unique characteristics of our region's water system and the security of the supply present at Ruth Lake.

Review of total water production data from 2013 and 2015 shows that City of Eureka customers have been diligently monitoring and reducing their water usage in light of the state's serious drought:

Criteria for granting the request including showing that the

Total Water Production (millions of gallons)			
Month	2013	2015	Reduction
January	92.3	73.9	20%
February	76.6	67.0	13%
March	79.9	76.2	5%
April	82.2	78.5	5%
May	99.5	88.4	11%
Average			11%

The City of Eureka would like to remind residents and local businesses that despite this favorable ruling and the excellent job customers have done in reducing their water consumption, conservation measures already in place are still in effect

and will continue to be enforced in an effort to continue meeting the 4 percent conservation requirement. For more information, customers are encouraged to call the Public Works Department at 707-441-4203.

Watering Rules for Homes and Businesses

Watering is only allowed on Tuesdays, Thursdays and weekends. No watering landscapes or grass on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Fridays.

No using potable water to wash sidewalks and driveways

No runoff when irrigating with potable water

Do not use hoses without shutoff nozzles to wash cars

Do not use potable water in decorative water features that do not recirculate the water

Cannot use outdoor irrigation during and 48 hours following measurable precipitation

Restaurants and other food service establishments can only serve water to customers on request

Hotels and motels must provide guests with the option of not having towels and linens laundered daily



Check out SAVEOURWATER.COM for more information and water saving tips

HumLocal Study Explores Economic Impacts of Buying Local

When we buy locally, we contribute to our community in so many ways. We support trusted local businesses, keep our friends, families, and neighbors employed, and sustain the dedicated community organizations that help seniors, youth, and many other causes.

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By buying locally, we also help fund local government. Did you know that approximately 70% of the City of Eureka's operational budget comes from sales tax? Throughout Humboldt County, sales tax makes up a significant portion of the revenues that fund government services like police and fire, road and infrastructure upkeep, public parks, and the school system. Every member of our community wants to live in safe, enjoyable, well-maintained neighborhoods - recent voter approval of measures Z and Q to increase or continue local sales taxes are evidence of this.

The Eureka Chamber of Commerce, working together with Humboldt State University, the City of Eureka, and the Humboldt County Economic Development Department, has initiated

a study into the spending habits of Humboldt County residents. This will help us explore the economic and community benefits of buying local, estimate tax dollars lost to out-of-area spending, and allow us to develop strategies to support our community, help local retailers, and improve future shopping experiences in our region. A similar study performed in Miner County, South Dakota, helped ignite an economic revitalization effort that substantially improved the local economy, boosting wages, job availability, and funds available for public services.

We'd love to hear from you about where you do your shopping and what aspects of the shopping experience you value most. This short, anonymous survey should only take about 5 minutes. It can be accessed from the Greater Eureka Chamber of Commerce Facebook page or by typing the following link into your computer:

www.surveymonkey.com/s/HumLocal

Written by Tom Schallert, Board Chair of the Greater Eureka Chamber of Commerce, and Kate Weaver, Masters of Business Administration Intern, Humboldt State University. For questions, please email Kate Weaver at: khw5@humboldt.edu.

Eureka Parklet Pilot Program: San Francisco Trend to be Piloted in Eureka

The City of Eureka is implementing a Council approved 18 month "Parklet Pilot Program" in an effort to promote vibrant commercial districts within Eureka. The City of Eureka is soliciting Proposals from building owners, businesses, non-profits, and other organizations within the city that may be interested in creating a parklet. Parklets by definition are mini-parks that utilize one on street parking space. Generally, there are two types of parklets; Public Recreation parklets provide the public with a space to relax and take in the area and street life; Business-Oriented parklets allow restaurants, cafes, and other businesses to provide outdoor seating and table service. The idea of turning parking spaces into parklets was first introduced in San Francisco in 2010 and has proven to be so successful that many cities have since implemented their own programs.

With the release of the RFP (Request for Proposals), the city is implementing the 18 month "Eureka Parklet Pilot Program" in which a maximum of three parklets will be allowed city-wide. Anyone interested in building and maintaining a parklet for the 18 month pilot period must apply to the city in a competitive process and proposals must meet a range of criteria. The City will score the proposals and select up to three for Council approval. Following approval of the plans and permit, the applicant will be permitted to construct and maintain their parklet for up to 18 months.

During the 18 month pilot period (September 10, 2015 to February 28, 2015), the City will evaluate the benefits and impacts

of the parklets. If the pilot program is successful, the City will produce final design guidelines, regulations, and Municipal Code changes in order to permanently allow parklets. The previously permitted parklets may be allowed to continue beyond the 18 month pilot period if they continue to meet all design criteria and other requirements.

Copies for the Request for Proposals are available at <http://www.ci.eureka.ca.gov/rfps/default.asp>. Physical copies of the RFP and more information can be obtained from the Development Services Department located within City Hall at 531 K Street, Eureka, CA 95501. The City will receive proposals in the Development Services Department no later than 5:00 PM, Friday July 24, 2015.



San Francisco Parklet

2nd Annual Get Out and Play Day—July 25th

Eureka Parks and Recreation presents an entire day of events all throughout the city to inspire you and your loved ones to be active, have fun and explore all the great things Eureka has to offer. Check out a few of last year's favorites returning below!

Sequoia Park

5th Annual Zumba in the Park—12pm-1:30pm

Party with us as we bring the Latin dance and fitness craze to the Redwoods. Ditch the workout and join the party!

Family Olympics—3pm-5:00pm

Looking to get a little quality time with the family? Compete against other families through an obstacle course, scavenger hunt, special water relay race for family bragging rights and the chance to win family prize packages! The family the plays together, stays together!

Rockin' in the Redwoods Concert & BBQ

5pm-7pm

After a day of play, come rock out to this unique outdoor concert experience. Live Music and the beautiful redwoods... what better way to wind down from playing all day? All ages are welcome!

Kennedy/Hartman Fields

5th Annual Redwood Coast Grand Slam Co-ed Softball Tournament! Free! 9pm-8:00pm

Root, root, root for the home team or step up to the plate yourself! Top three teams receive a handcrafted redwood tree trophy. Pre-registration is required!

Hikshari' Trail

Interpretive Walk for all Ages—2pm

Experience the beauty found alongside the 1.5 mile Hikshari' trail. This fun, informative guided tour will include discussion and information on the migrant and vagrant bird species, Wiyot Village life and more!

Cooper Gulch

5th Annual Kicks & Tricks Sk8 Fest—1pm-5pm

An action packed day at Eureka Skate Park., this year will feature both youth and adult competitions. Come compete for prizes in the popular annual event. Kicks & Tricks will also feature professional skate demos, live music, and food.

Eureka Waterfront

Kids Free Day on the Madaket

Step out and learn the history of Humboldt Bay and Eureka's Waterfront during a 75 Minute narrated cruise traveling along the shores of the bay! Kids ride free with a paid adult ticket on this local icon for this special day of play!

Relay For Life and Lighted Boat Parade—July 11-12th

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life is a life-changing event that gives everyone in communities across the globe a chance to celebrate the lives of people who have battled cancer, remember loved ones lost, and fight back against the disease. At Relay, teams of people camp out at a local high school, park, or fairground and take turns walking or running around a track or path. Each team is asked to have a representative on the track at all times during the event. Because cancer never sleeps, Relays are overnight events up to 24 hours in length.

Relay began in 1985 when Dr. Gordy Klatt, a colorectal surgeon in Tacoma, Washington, ran and walked around a track for 24 hours to raise money for the American Cancer Society. Since then, Relay has grown from a single man's passion to fight cancer into the world's largest movement to end the disease. Each year, more than 3.5 million people in 5,000 communities in the United States, along with additional communities in 20 other countries, gather to take part in this global phenomenon and raise much-needed funds and awareness to save lives from cancer. Thanks to Relay participants, the American Cancer Society continues to save lives.

On the 30th Anniversary of Dr. Klatt's legendary first walk, the City of Eureka is proud to announce that we will host Relay For Life at Halvorsen Park in Eureka! This year's Eureka Relay For Life will be held July 11th-12th.

Eureka Main Street has announced plans for a Lighted Boat Parade to coincide with the luminaria lighting ceremony at the Relay For Life event being held at Halvorsen Park on Saturday, July 11th. The Lighted Boat Parade will travel in a loop from Eureka Public Marina to Halvorsen Park beginning at 8:30 P.M.

Vessels large and small are encouraged to participate in this fundraiser event. A decoration contest will take place in which vessels will be judged for the use of the "Happy Birthday, Relay!" theme, originality, lighting, costumes and special effects. Prizes will be awarded to the first, second and third place winners. An announcement of the winners will take place at the Relay For Life event the following day, Sunday, July 12th.

More information and entry forms for the Lighted Boat Parade can be found on the RFLLightedBoatParade facebook page or downloaded from the Eureka Main Street website. The entry fee of \$20 will be donated to Relay For Life. Deadline for entry is July 8th.

The Lighted Boat Parade is sponsored by: The City of Eureka, Eureka Main Street, Humboldt Bay Maritime Museum, Humboldt Bay Aquatic Center and The Greater Eureka Chamber of Commerce.

For more information on the festival, please contact Eureka Main Street at 442-9054.

World Cup Soccer Camps & Clinics by Ruedi Graf

Ages: 5—13 yrs.

World Cup Soccer Camps is committed to helping children of all ages and abilities reach their greatest potential as people and athletes. With a 1 to 10, coach to player ratio, our experienced and educated staff place emphasis on instruction, as your child will receive the highest level of attention in a fun and safe environment. Choose between Full Day (9am-3pm) or Half Day (9am-12:30pm) with the following camp choices: The U6-Fussball Academy (ages 5-6), the Classic Skill camp (all levels, ages 7-9) and the Advanced Player's camp (more experienced players, ages 10-13). Goalkeeper training and Team Camps are also available. All fees include a World Cup Soccer

Camp T-shirt, player's evaluation and a camp memento. Pre-registration is required.

For more information or to register call World Cup Soccer Camps toll free at (888) 700-9779, (408) 354-4949 or visit worldcupsocceramps.com.

Dates	Day	Time	Fees	Location
8/17-8/21	Mon.-Fri.	9am-12:30pm or 9am-3pm	\$199/Half Day \$249/Full Day	Carson Park

Summer Tennis Camp

Ages 5- 14

Join Humboldt Tennis Club & City of Eureka Parks & Recreation for Summer Tennis Camp at Highland Park in Eureka! Pick any of the weeks and have some fun learning the fundamentals of tennis through fun games. Bring a snack and a water bottle. Be prepared to have a great time.

Highland Park, Eureka
Monday – Friday 1 PM – 5 PM
Week 3: July 20-24
Week 4: July 27-31

For more information:
www.HumboldtTennisClub.com
humboldttennisclub@gmail.com
707-616-4781

Registration forms available at:
www.HumboldtTennisClub.com & HITS and KICKS (415 I St., Arcata; 707-822-4487)



Outside the Box After School Program

Registration for the 2015-2016 school year is on-going and takes place year-round at the Adorni Center (1011 Waterfront Drive).

ACTIVITIES & ENRICHMENT: Each day features a variety of fun, educational & enriching activities including tutoring & academic support, enrichment clubs, junior leader program, watershed heroes projects, special guest speakers, educational trips to various exhibits & attractions at the zoo, cultural events & celebrations, creative art projects, non-competitive group

games and free time to read or play with friends. Each day participants will enjoy a healthy afternoon snack prepared by Food for People.

PROGRAM HOURS: Monday 1:30pm—5:30pm and Tuesday-Friday 2:30pm—5:30pm. Outside the Box After-School Program is open according to the official school calendar of Eureka City Schools and is closed during vacations and school holidays.

Leader –In-Training Program

The Leader-In-Training Program is held in conjunction with City of Eureka Summer Day Camps and provides teens ages 13-17 with an adventure in leadership and personal growth. This program offers an exceptional opportunity that will enhance college and job applications, teach valuable life skills and strengthen work ethic. This program also allows teens to practice leadership skills in a supportive setting that is generous with feedback and mentorship - all the ingredients for adolescents to develop the life skills they'll need to succeed. L.I.T.'s will work directly alongside City of Eureka Recreation Staff and assist in all program elements.

Through ongoing training, hands-on activities and observation of Leaders in camp, L.I.T.'s will learn leadership styles, organizational skills, time management, communication, conflict res-

olution, teamwork, personal initiative, delegation and accountability while also being provided with a wonderful learning opportunity to mature and further develop their passions and interests in working with children. Teens must have transportation to and from camp. Applications are available online or by mail. Completed application packets can be submitted in person or by mail to: The Adorni Center – 1011 Waterfront Drive., Eureka, CA 95501.

Fee: \$45/week (includes training, field trip fees, t-shirt/sweatshirt)

For more information contact the Recreation Activities Coordinator at 441-4244 or by email at sfazio@ci.eureka.ca.gov.

Will Power 101

Ages: 18 yrs. & up

If you have ever promised to get fit, lose weight, stress less, or just lead a healthier lifestyle - and you didn't stick with it - this monthly, uplifting, powerful, interactive session is exactly what you need! Powerful coaching and direction from professional motivator, Scott "Q" Marcus. Register for 3 or more classes at once and it's only \$15 per class! Must register in person for multi-class price. Instructor: Scott Q.

Register online at EurekaParksAndRecreation.com or in person at the Adorni Center.

Course #	Dates	Day	Time	Fee	Location
105	7/25	Sat.	10am-12pm	\$17.50	Conf. Room, Adorni Center
106	8/29	Sat.	10am-12pm	\$17.50	Conf. Room, Adorni Center
107	9/25	Sat.	10am-12pm	\$17.50	Conf. Room, Adorni Center

Redwood Coast Grand Slam Softball Tournament

On July 25th the City of Eureka's Parks & Recreation Department will host the Redwood Coast Grand Slam Co-ed Softball Tournament as part of Get Out & Play Day! Activities. This double elimination tournament is free with redwood trophies for the top three teams. Registration will take place July 1st - 18th at the Adorni Center. There is an eight team maximum, so sign up early! Batter up! For more info call 707-441-4245 or by email at senes@ci.eureka.ca.gov.



Explore Eureka Outdoor Programs

Wild Nights

When the sun goes down, the wild nights come calling! Join us for this unique outdoor evening adventure to learn about the natural universe that takes on a life of its own under the evening stars. Be sure to wear comfortable walking shoes and dress in layers. A flashlight or headlamp is recommended. All youth must be accompanied by a parent/guardian. Pre-registration is required.

Course #	Date	Theme	Day	Time	Fee	Location
302	8/13	Bugs	Thurs.	6:30-8pm	\$2/adult; kids free	Sequoia Park

Hometown Adventure Series

The Hometown Adventure Series is an adventure all on its own, but now you have the opportunity to join other members of the community to share that adventure! Meet up with Parks & Recreation staff as they serve as your personal tour guide and lead groups to complete the trivia, physical and media challenges from the Hometown Adventure Series! Try out one, or do them all. It's a great way to meet people and Explore Eureka! All children must be accompanied by an adult & each participant must sign a waiver of liability release. Heavy rain on any meeting day cancels. There is no registration required for this free activity.

Date	Activity	Day	Time	Fee	Location
7/11	Disc Golf	Sat.	12-1pm	FREE	Cooper

Good Morning Eureka!

Ages 18+

Running and Walking Club

Join with other running enthusiasts to Explore Eureka on Saturday mornings! All levels are welcome. Enjoy the calm beauty of the sun peeking through the redwoods and enjoy the quiet that comes with early morning in the park. Lace up your shoes, set your watch, and come meet us for a run! This free community club is accessible and welcoming to abilities and level of experience. Participants will be asked to sign in.



Dates	Day	Time	Fee	Location
7/11-8/18	Sat.	7-8am	FREE	Sequoia Park (Meet at Gazebo)

Nature Strollers

Expose your little ones to nature at an early age in this fun family group. Join other Nature Strollers as we walk, explore and take in the scenery. Nature Strollers will hear a story relating to their adventure for the day before taking a stroll along the Hikshari' Trail. Heavy rain cancels.

Dates	Day	Time	Fee	Location
7/11	Sat.	10-11am	FREE	Hikshari' Trailhead

Redwood Coast Youth Invitational Baseball Tournament

Is your youth baseball team tired of playing in the scorching heat during the summer time? Then sign your youth team up for this brand new tournament! The cost is \$425/team for a three game guarantee. The tournament will have a 12 team maximum. Visit www.playeurekayouthsports.com for more information or call 441-4245.



Dates	Day	Ages	Location
7/18-7/19	Sat./Sun.	10-11 years old	Kennedy/Hartman
8/1-8/2	Sat./Sun.	11-12 years old	Kennedy/Hartman
8/15-8/16	Sat./Sun.	12-13 years old	Kennedy/Hartman

Camp Cooper Outdoor Environmental Education & Adventure Camp

June 29th—August 7th (closed July 3rd)

Monday—Friday 8am—5pm

Ages: 5-12 years



The City of Eureka Parks & Recreation Department is excited to announce that we have recently been awarded funding through the California State Parks Habitat Conservation Grant Funding Program.

The awarded grant funding will enable us to expand Camp Cooper from a recreational day camp, to an outdoor environmental education day camp, with more environmental focused opportunities and activities, higher staffing levels and extended program hours.

Introducing a New Kind of Camp

The new Camp Cooper Outdoor Environmental Education & Adventure Camp will take the fun & magic of summer camp, and incorporate hands-on activities for campers to learn environmental education, stewardship and interpretation.

Discover the Adventure Outside Your Front Door

With colossal redwood trees, breathtaking waterfront trails and a plethora of natural wonders, Eureka is a prime destination for outdoor education, interpretation and adventure!

Camp Cooper Outdoor Environmental Education & Adventure Camp will take place at three distinct locations throughout the City of Eureka; **the Hikshari' Trail**, **Sequoia Park**, and **Cooper Gulch**, selected to provide participants with a wide scope of community interaction with local nature area.

The Impactful Nature of Nature

Outdoor environmental education & stewardship offers interactive learning that sparks the imagination and unlocks creativity. It empowers youth to make connections and apply their learning in the real world to see the interconnectedness of ecological, economic and social issues. Youth also learn to understand how their decisions and actions affect the environment, as well as ways they can take action to keep our environment healthy and sustainable for the future.



Special Event Volunteers

The Zoo Foundation hosts several special fundraising events each year and we always need help with running activity stations for the kids, serving up concessions and more. From Party for the Planet and Boo at the Zoo to Zootini and Brew at the Zoo, volunteering on our special events team for Sequoia Park Zoo Foundation is an extremely valuable way to make a huge contribution to the community, and all the funds raised at these events benefit the animals. Your time commitment can be as little as 4 hours, but it makes a huge impact!

No experience is necessary—we'll provide the training and instruction you need. We also have seasonal mailers and hold various volunteer administration days that are a great way to meet and work with our extraordinary group of volunteers and have a great time! Contact the Volunteer Coordinator at 441-4205 or by email at volunteer@sequoiaparkzoo.net to learn more.



Super Salmon & the Watershed Heroes

Swing by the Zoo to pick up a copy of our new comic book, *Super Salmon and the Watershed Heroes*!

Follow the journey of Super Salmon as she grows up and explores the river in the redwood forest, meeting kids and helping them to become amazing Watershed Heroes.

Visit the Sequoia Park website; www.sequoiaparkzoo.net for more info.



9th Annual Zootini Fundraiser

Join us for our 9th annual Zootini gala on Saturday, August 15th as we kick off the fundraising for the next exciting phase of our Native Predators Zone!

Along with a full bar operated by one of Humboldt County's leading mixologists, this year's event will feature a gourmet dinner catered by Uniquely Yours, music from local musicians The Jazz Quadrant, live and silent auctions, a raffle with Zoo-themed prizes, the ever-popular Lucky You! wine pull, up-close and personal animal encounters, zookeeper talks, and more! Our signature martini this year will honor the arrival of our bald eagle, Cheyenne, as well as the completion of our brand-new McLean Foundation Raptor Aviary! The aviary is also home to Winky, our Northern Spotted Owl and Dorsie, our North American Porcupine.

The cost to attend is \$75.00 for Zoo Members, \$85.00 for Non-Members, and \$550.00 for a table of eight.

Summer Zoofari Adventure

Monday-Friday,
July 13-August 21, 2015
Summer Camps at Sequoia Park Zoo for 5-11 year olds. Times and themes TBD. Check www.sequoiaparkzoo.net for updates.



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JUNE 18TH

BRAD WILSON ROCKIN' BLUES
Stone Cold Chillin' • Wonderland Nursery • Chapala Café

JUNE 25TH

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EPT Rehabilitation • Alves, Inc. • Copiers Plus •
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JULY 2ND

GATOR NATION GATOR BEAT
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JULY 9TH

DECADES NOSTALGIC ROCK N ROLL
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JULY 16TH

CHAD BUSHNELL HOT COUNTRY
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JULY 23RD

CANDELARIA CUMBIA - LATIN DANCE
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JULY 30TH

BILL NOTEMAN & THE ROCKETS BLUES
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AUGUST 6TH

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AUGUST 13TH

TOM RIGNEY & FLAMBEAU CAJUN ROCK & BLUES
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AUGUST 20TH

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CITY OF EUREKA CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Position	Emp. Type	Salary	Closing Date
Communications Dispatcher	Full Time	\$2,841—\$3,638	Continuous
Police Officer	Full Time	\$4,027—\$5,154	Continuous
Utility Operations Supervisor	Full Time	\$4,140—\$5,286	7/24/15

Interested parties are encouraged to contact the Personnel Department.

Email: jschoonmaker@ci.eureka.ca.gov
Jobline: (707) 441-4134
Website: <http://www.ci.eureka.ca.gov>
Personnel: (707) 441-4124

BOARD AND COMMISSION VACANCIES

Notice is hereby given that applications will be accepted for appointments to the following city boards and commissions until the vacancies are filled:

BOARD/ COMMISSION:

Art and Culture Commission	1 Vacancy
Board of Appeals	1 Vacancy
Eureka Energy Committee	3 Vacancies
Housing Advisory Board	1 Vacancies
Personnel Board	1 Vacancy

Applications may be obtained by phone or in person from the Mayor's Office, City of Eureka, 531 "K" Street, Eureka, CA 95501, (707) 441-4144, or may be downloaded from the City Clerk's website, listed below.

In order to be eligible for appointment to any board or commission, a person must be a qualified registered elector of the City of Eureka, the Humboldt Community Services District or Humboldt County Service Area No. 3, or an owner of a business located within the city limits of the City of Eureka. The mayor shall make the appointments with the approval of a majority of the Council. Appointments of qualified non-city residents will require a four-fifths (4/5) vote of the Council for confirmation.

Members on Boards and Commissions shall be willing to serve as a civic responsibility and without compensation. No member of any board or commission shall hold any paid office or employment in the city government.

Applications will be accepted until filled. For more information, call the City Clerk at (707) 441-4175, or go to: <http://www.ci.eureka.ca.gov/>.



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